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Transmitted herewith for filing is the [X] Utility [ ] Design [X] nonprovisional [ ] provisional patent application of:

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For: **CLAMP DEVICE** 

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[]	This is a new patent application.				
[X]	This is the 35 U.S.C. 371 National Stage Application of the above-identified PCT Application.				
[]	This is a provisional patent application.				
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Х	Sheets of drawings ([x] formal [ ] informal size A4 ).				
Х	33	Pages of specification including abstract and claims.			
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х	Preliminary Amendment			
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х	Information Disclosure Statement			
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PRIORITY CLAIMS					
	Applicant hereby claims the benefit of the filing date of the following provisional application(s) under the provision of 35 USC 119.				
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х	Japan Patent Appln. No. 2003-110049, filed April 15, 2003, Priority Claimed				
	of which certified copies thereof				
		will follow			
		are enclosed			
	х	have been filed in the International Bureau			
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